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1. On 7 January about 500 troops arrived at Ich'ang (111-17, 30-42) from Chungking aboard the SS MIN K'ANG (民康). Seven hundred troops left Ich'ang for Hankow aboard the SS MIN WAN (民萬). The steamships HSIN PAO FENG (新寶豐), FU HSING (福興), and T'UNG I (同義) left Hankow for Ich'ang empty to pick up 1,050 troops and transport them to Hankow.
2. On 8 January 300 troops arrived at Ich'ang from Chungking aboard the SS MIN WU (民武); 311 troops left Chungking for Ich'ang from which they are planning to leave for Hankow aboard the SS PA HSIA (巴峽).
3. On 10 January 30 wooden boats loaded with Chinese Communist troops sailed down the Yangtze River from Chungking.
4. On 12 January 500 Chinese Communist troops were planning to leave Chungking for Ich'ang aboard the SS MIN K'ANG.
5. On 14 January 500 Chinese Communist troops were planning to leave Chungking for Ich'ang aboard the SS MIN TO (民鐸).

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Comment. For further reports of the shipment of troops down the Yangtze River from Chungking to Ich'ang and Hankow since 15 December 1950, [REDACTED]

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